#### **HISTOSTAT 50 - nitarsone** granule

Alpharma Inc. Animal Health

#### **Nitarsone**

Type A Medicated Article
An aid in the prevention of blackhead in turkeys and chickens
Must be mixed thoroughly in feed before use

#### ACTIVE INGREDIENT

### DOSAGES AND DIRECTIONS

#### **Turkeys**

Mix in feed so that 2,000 lbs (909 kg) of complete ration contain 12 oz. (340.2 g) of Histostat 50 equivalent to 0.01875% nitarsone. Start Histostat 50 medication depending on such factors as record of blackhead occurrence on the farm or in the area; climate and weather; and soil or litter condition. Continue as long as prevention is desired.

#### Chickens

Mix in feed so that 2,000 lbs (909 kg) of complete ration contain 12 oz. (340.2 g) of Histostat 50 equivalent to 0.01875% nitarsone. Give continuously for at least 3 weeks during periods of stress. Long-term medication is not necessary for chickens because of their natural resistance except at times of undue stress. Reduced feed consumption, onset of production, and errors in management may produce stresses which lower the resistance of chickens to blackhead.

### Mixing directions

To secure an even distribution, mix Histostat 50 with a small amount of feed ingredients, then add the remainder of the ingredients and mix thoroughly.

## **PRECAUTIONS**

Early medication is essential to prevent spread of the disease. Adequate drinking water must be provided near feeders at all times. The drug is not effective in preventing blackhead in birds infected more than 4 or 5 days. Symptoms of blackhead do not appear until 10 to 15 days after birds become infected.

#### **CAUTION**

Use as the sole source of arsenic.

## WARNING

Keep out of reach of children. Overdosage or lack of water may result in leg weakness or paralysis. Discontinue use 5 days before slaughtering for human consumption to allow for elimination of the drug from edible tissue. In mixing, avoid inhaling dust. Avoid contact of product with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Dangerous for ducks, geese and dogs.

## POISON ARSENIC ANTIDOTE

If swallowed, call a physician, poison control center, or hospital immediately. Induce vomiting by giving Ipecac Syrup as directed.

Restricted Drug (California) - Use only as directed. Not for human use.

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Net wt 50 LB (22.68 kg)



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# PRINCIPAL DISPLAY PANEL- 50 LB BAG

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NADA 7-616, Approved by FDA
Net wt 50 LB (22.68 kg)
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